

**5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL REGION 6 MS4 CONFERENCE**  
**DRAFT AGENDA - 3/7/03**

Note: We are still looking for volunteers who are interested in speaking on the topics with an asterisk. Contact Debbie Reynolds at 214-665-2707 or [reynolds.debbie@epa.gov](mailto:reynolds.debbie@epa.gov) to volunteer as a speaker or to suggest other topics or particular presentations within one of the listed topics. Some potential speakers we have tentatively identified may not be able to participate, so check back occasionally for updates on speakers and new openings for speakers.

<b>MONDAY, JUNE 9th</b>	
<b>TIME</b>	<b>TOPICS</b>
1:00 PM	<b>Storm Water 101 for MS4s</b> - Background on the NPDES Storm Water Program, regulatory requirements, and enforcement under the Clean Water Act. Will bring those new to the program up to speed so they can get the most from the rest of the conference.

<b>TUESDAY, JUNE 10th</b>	
<b>TIME</b>	<b>TOPICS</b>
8:00	Registration
8:30	Welcoming Addresses and Storm Water Video
9:30	BREAK
10:00	Status and Direction of the National and State Storm Water Programs
11:30	LUNCH (on your own)
1:00	State Programs Status (continued)
2:00	Construction Activity Programs * - Case Study of a Phase I MS4 Program * - Case Study of a Phase II MS4 Program
3:00	BREAK
3:30	Construction Activity Programs (continued) - Compliance Issues and Training - Training Municipal Inspectors (Video)
4:30	Questions and Answers

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11th	
8:00	Development and Re-Development Programs -Integrated Storm Water Management Program (ISWM) - NCTCOG -Corpus Christi Post-Development Program * - ???Developers' Perspective
9:30	BREAK
10:00	Public Education and Public Involvement Programs -Building Regional Programs -Using the Internet in Your MS4 Program - Web Sites 101 -Using the Cooperative Extension Service as a Resource
11:30	LUNCH (on your own)
1:00	Public Involvement and Public Participation Programs -Setting up a Citizen Advisory Group to Help You Develop a Program * -Case Study on either a MS4 Citizen Advisory Group <u>or</u> a Public Participation Program
2:00	Illicit Detection and Elimination Programs -Programs for Wet Climates * -Programs for "Normal" Climates
3:00	BREAK
3:30	Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping for Municipal Operations * -Overview of Programs for Common Municipal Operations (Transfer Stations, vehicle maintenance facilities, transfer stations, parks departments, etc.?) * -???Educating and Training Your Other Departments <u>OR</u> * Environmental Management Systems
4:30	Funding Your MS4 Program -Funding Options and Opportunities * -Case Study on a Storm Water Utility (from a Small MS4??)
5:30	Questions and Answers

<b>THURSDAY, JUNE 12th</b>	
8:00	Field Trips To Storm Water Controls (Buses Provided)
11:30	LUNCH (on your own)
1:00	Field Trips Continued, leave for Kingsville and the King Ranch (Buses Provided)
5:00	<i>Evening Social Activity including Dinner at the King Ranch</i>

<b>FRIDAY, JUNE 13th</b>	
8:00	Annual Reports
8:30	Recapping This Year's Conference and Brainstorming
9:30	BREAK
10:00	Planning for the 6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Region 6 MS4 Operators Conference in 2004 - Come Prepared to Volunteer to Be a Host Next Year!
10:30	Final Question and Answer Session